

**DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY HEALTH
OFFICE OF DRUG CONTROL POLICY
Byrne JAG**

2007

GRANT AWARDS

Community Policing and Crime Analysis

Program Area Total: \$337,000

1. County of Wayne

Operation TIDE is an initiative that attacks gun violence in specifically targeted high crime areas of Detroit. The Wayne County Prosecutor will participate in this collaboration of multiple law enforcement agencies by providing full-time investigation of gun crimes, including fatal and non-fatal shootings, intelligence gathering, legal advice and the prosecution of violent offenders.

Project Director: Mr. James Gonzales, Chief, Special Operations Division

Implementing Agency: Wayne County Prosecuting Attorney

Recommended Award: \$337,000

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2007 GRANT AWARDS

Drug Courts

Program Area Total: \$425,452

1. City of Southfield

The 46th District Court will continue to operate its recovery court, which is designed to reduce substance abuse, decrease recidivism, enhance public safety and strengthen bonds within the community.

Project Director: Honorable Stephen S. Cooper, Recovery Court Judge

Implementing Agency: 46th District Court - City of Southfield

Recommended Award: \$32,910

2. City of Southgate

The 28th District Court will continue to operate a drug court, which will target repeat non-violent drinking and driving and drug possession offenders. The court will address the relationship substance abuse plays on influencing the individual to commit the crime by providing close supervision and substance abuse rehabilitation.

Project Director: Mr. James B. Gibbs, Probation Officer

Implementing Agency: 28th District Court - City of Southgate

Recommended Award: \$58,332

3. City of Taylor

The 23rd District Court will continue to operate its drug court program which targets high-risk, repeat substance abusing offenders. Participants will meet with the judge and probation officer on a weekly basis, receive intensive treatment, undergo random and frequent drug and alcohol testing, and receive training and other services that are necessary to assist them in becoming productive members of the community.

Project Director: Ms. Deanna L. Warunek, Drug Court Coordinator

Implementing Agency: 23rd District Court - City of Taylor

Recommended Award: \$53,334

4. County of Ingham

The 55th District Drug Court program will continue to target chemically dependent, OWI 2nd and OWI 3rd offenders by utilizing a non-adversarial, holistic approach to rehabilitation. The primary goals are to reduce recidivism, enrich family lives, and increase public safety, which will ultimately lead to measurable and immeasurable cost savings to the community.

Project Director: Officer Beryl J. Frenger, Chief Probation Officer

Implementing Agency: 55th District Court - County of Ingham

Recommended Award: \$30,023

5. County of Macomb

The Macomb County Juvenile Drug Court will continue to target youth who require substance abuse treatment and support. Program goals are to empower substance abusing juveniles and their families to restore abstinence, maintain sobriety and reduce recidivism through judicial supervision and treatment that integrates community resources.

Project Director: Ms. Nicole N. DeJong, Program Director

Implementing Agency: 16th Circuit Court, Family Division - County of Macomb

Recommended Award: \$26,666

Drug Courts

6. County of Manistee

The 19th Judicial Drug Court program will continue to target substance abusing youth in order to reduce recidivism and increase public safety. Program goals are to provide intensive supervision, drug/alcohol testing, intensive out-patient therapy with family involvement and an integration of county, school, and community agencies offering treatment to restore abstinence and sobriety.

Project Director: Mr. James L. Smogoleski, Youth Svcs. Director/Drug Court Project Director

Implementing Agency: 19th Circuit Court, Family Division - County of Manistee

Recommended Award: \$31,064

7. County of Ottawa

The 20th Judicial Circuit Court in Ottawa County will continue to operate a juvenile drug court that targets high-risk substance abusing youth. Primary goals are to reduce recidivism and out of home placements by providing intensive treatment, monitoring, drug testing, and judicial review.

Project Director: Ms. Pat VerDuin, Drug Treatment Court Director

Implementing Agency: 20th Circuit Court - County of Ottawa

Recommended Award: \$49,123

8. County of Wayne

The STAND Program, a juvenile drug court, is designed to eliminate a juvenile's substance abuse and delinquent behavior to avoid out of home placement. It consists of four phases utilizing substance abuse treatment services, intensive court supervision, and supportive recreational activities to assist with monitoring the juvenile's treatment.

Project Director: Ms. Beryl Fletcher, STAND Program Coordinator

Implementing Agency: 3rd Circuit Court, Family Division - County of Wayne

Recommended Award: \$144,000

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GRANT AWARDS

Family and Domestic Violence Strategies

Program Area Total: \$108,334

1. County of Wayne

Kids-TALK will continue to provide high quality programming for alleged victims of child sexual abuse and their families. They will: (1) provide a safe and developmentally appropriate environment; (2) protect the child's credibility; (3) provide collaborative case planning; (4) provide referral to appropriate community services; and, (5) schedule, conduct, and videotape timely forensic interviews.

Project Director: Mr. Eric J. Reed, Program Manager

Implementing Agency: Wayne County Department of Children & Family Services

Recommended Award: \$108,334

Juvenile Intervention Strategies

Program Area Total: \$414,354

1. County of Branch

The Juvenile Day Prevention Program targets males 13-16 years old who are delinquent wards of the court that have exhausted traditional casework services. The program positively impacts violence through a collaborative interagency delivery of individualized services. A variety of life skills activities and the research-validated Aggression Replacement Training will be utilized.

Project Director: Mr. John Howard, Court Administrator, Family Division
Implementing Agency: 15th Circuit Court - County of Branch
Recommended Award: \$66,133

2. County of Charlevoix

Continuation funding of an intensive out-patient sexual offender program for adolescents using the innovative concept of licensing foster homes to provide a safe environment for participants. Project P.A.S.T. provides treatment services and court supervision for eligible juveniles in an attempt to eliminate sexual offending criminal activity.

Project Director: Mr. David C. Rauch, Court Administrator
Implementing Agency: 33rd Circuit Court - County of Charlevoix
Recommended Award: \$25,000

3. County of Oakland

The community-based central juvenile diagnostic center, referred to as the InStep program, provides services to the Pontiac area and enhances existing services available to the courts, community, and families by providing a "one stop shop" approach with all services available under one roof.

Project Director: Ms. Karen M. Peterson, Supervisor
Implementing Agency: Oakland County Community Corrections
Recommended Award: \$69,075

4. County of Wayne

Truant Net is a collaborative effort to identify 12-15 year old chronically truant offenders at high risk to commit increasingly serious delinquent acts within the City of Detroit. Once targeted, these middle and early high school students are intensely monitored and offered an opportunity to reverse their truant behavior or risk graduated sanctions through the juvenile justice system.

Project Director: Deputy Chief Robert Heimbuch
Implementing Agency: Wayne County Prosecuting Attorney
Recommended Award: \$54,994

5. County of Wayne

Operation REACH assists in Re-directing, Educating and Assisting Children in the City of Highland Park in an intensive, comprehensive and coordinated case management approach. The project provides social, academic, recreation and employment support to youth between the ages of 12-18 who are not presently in the juvenile legal system but are considered at risk of being left behind.

Project Director: Ms. Suzanne K. Hall, Director of Administration
Implementing Agency: Wayne County Sheriff's Department
Recommended Award: \$73,633

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Juvenile Intervention Strategies

6. County of Wayne

Continuation funding for the Missing & Exploited Child Rescue Initiative. This unit responds to local law enforcement agency reports involving children who have been reported missing throughout all of Wayne County. This is the only exclusively dedicated unit within the county.

Project Director: Ms. Suzanne K. Hall, Director of Administration

Implementing Agency: Wayne County Sheriff's Department

Recommended Award: \$125,519

Local Correctional Resources

Program Area Total: \$1,491,638

1. City of Grand Rapids

The STOP (Start Treatment of Prostitutes) program will continue to operate a comprehensive community-based program in order to interrupt the cycle of prostitution and treat the repetitive prostitution offender using a research-based design, which includes case management/treatment to address drug abuse, violence and other issues while offering positive alternatives and a drug-free lifestyle.

Project Director: Ms. Janis K. Willis, Deputy Court Administrator
Implementing Agency: 61st District Court - City of Grand Rapids
Recommended Award: \$80,000

2. County of Allegan

Allegan County will continue to target offenders involved in methamphetamine production, distribution and use. Goals are to divert select offenders from prison by placement into an intensely supervised program which combines therapy and enforcement. This has shown to reduce meth-related crime in the county.

Project Director: Undersheriff James H. Hull
Implementing Agency: Allegan County Sheriff's Department
Recommended Award: \$58,334

3. County of Berrien

The Inspiration House will continue to provide Benton Harbor women committed to recovering from substance abuse, a safe, clean, structured and sober environment. The house will remain cost effective and accessible to everyday needs, support agencies and employment. In addition to counseling, collaborating agencies will provide assessment, evaluation, education, drug screening and referral services.

Project Director: Mr. John Nelson, Program Operations Director
Implementing Agency: Berrien County Health Department
Recommended Award: \$144,947

4. County of Oakland

The Jail Alliance program will continue to utilize jail resources for early identification of dually-diagnosed adult male inmates, stabilization and entry into a designated area within the jail. Inmates receive coordinated substance abuse/mental health treatment readiness services with a focus on development of a reintegration plan to expedite release into community treatment and support services.

Project Director: Ms. Ann M. Russell, Corrections Administrator
Implementing Agency: Oakland County Sheriff's Department
Recommended Award: \$141,667

5. County of Saginaw

The P.E.T. project will continue to provide a practical sentencing alternative with drug screening and counseling for non-violent OUIL 3rd offenders, in addition to providing safety to the community. This project will make available to the offenders the opportunity for rehabilitative education and treatment, while at the same time positively impacting correctional incarceration issues and concerns.

Project Director: Mr. Richard E. Lively, Grants & Special Program Manager
Implementing Agency: Saginaw County Sheriff's Department
Recommended Award: \$29,353

Local Correctional Resources

6. County of Van Buren

The Van Buren County Sheriff and Van Buren/Cass County District Health Department Substance Abuse Services will continue to partner to combat the epidemic of methamphetamine abuse in Southwest Michigan. Intensive treatment is offered to inmates at the Van Buren County Jail with continued community-based treatment upon release. Monitoring and accountability of clients is maintained through drug testing and supervision by a certified MCOLES officer.

Project Director: Lt. Chris W. Baker, Jail Administrator
Implementing Agency: Van Buren County Sheriff's Department
Recommended Award: \$78,254

7. County of Wayne

This project enhances the 3rd Circuit Court Drug Court Model by maintaining the Case Differentiation Unit (CDU). The CDU will continue to provide comprehensive risk/needs assessments to help shape appropriate program recommendations for straddle cell drug court candidates consistent with the local community corrections comprehensive plan.

Project Director: Mr. Rodney Pitts, Manager
Implementing Agency: Wayne County Department of Children & Family Services
Recommended Award: \$64,000

8. County of Wayne

Project Fresh Start (PFS) will continue to hold offenders of prostitution crime accountable by mandating participation in rehabilitation services through the 36th District Court Drug Treatment Court program. This initiative will interrupt the cycle of prostitution and treat the repetitive prostitution offender using a research-based design.

Project Director: Ms. Suzanne K. Hall, Director of Administration
Implementing Agency: Wayne County Sheriff's Department
Recommended Award: \$65,833

9. County of Wayne

The "LAST CALL" OWI fugitive apprehension program will continue to apprehend offenders who have been charged/convicted of OWI and alcohol-related felony and misdemeanor offenses, who have violated the terms of probation or parole, escaped from custody or have failed to appear in court and a valid warrant was issued for the arrest.

Project Director: Ms. Suzanne K. Hall, Director of Administration
Implementing Agency: Wayne County Sheriff's Department
Recommended Award: \$208,000

10. County of Wayne

Operation SPOTCHECK will continue to provide a proactive and data driven response that allows for an immediate enforcement effort directed toward random monitoring. It provides actual in-home visitations and inspections to thousands of existing and future parolees and probationers currently residing/released in Wayne County, to ensure conditional compliance.

Project Director: Ms. Suzanne K. Hall, Director of Administration
Implementing Agency: Wayne County Sheriff's Department
Recommended Award: \$253,333

Local Correctional Resources

11. County of Wexford

The TOPS (Transtioning Offenders Programs and Services) project will continue to provide a continuum of care of services including transitional housing, home intensive services, day-reporting and aftercare. The project follows the offenders through the duration of their probation. The focus of the project is to reduce the high recidivism rate among offenders.

Project Director: Mr. Kirt J. Baab, Program Director

Implementing Agency: 28th Circuit Court - County of Wexford

Recommended Award: \$148,333

12. Michigan Department of Corrections

The Genesee Parolee Re-Entry Program reduces substance abuse relapse and recidivism through a system of integrated transitional services, coupled with rigorous drug testing and sanctions. The program will target at-risk parolees entering Genesee County (those with serious histories of substance or alcohol use/abuse).

Project Director: Mr. Chris M. Trudell, Department Specialist

Implementing Agency: G-Prep - Michigan Department of Corrections

Recommended Award: \$219,584

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2007 GRANT AWARDS

Multijurisdictional Task Forces

Program Area Total: \$6,130,854

1. Charter Township of Genesee

This is a continuation grant for the Flint Area Narcotics Group (F.A.N.G.), a multijurisdictional task force serving Genesee County. F.A.N.G. targets low to mid-level drug traffickers to identify and target high-level source dealers and traffickers using specialized investigative techniques, aggressive prosecution and partnering with federal, state and local law enforcement agencies to enhance resources.

Project Director: D/F/Lt. Mitchell S. Krugielki

Implementing Agency: F.A.N.G. - Charter Township of Genesee

Recommended Award: \$475,000

2. City of Big Rapids

This is a continuation project for the Central Michigan Enforcement Team (C.M.E.T.), a multijurisdictional drug enforcement task force. The task force operates in Ionia, Mecosta, Montcalm and Newaygo Counties. Team investigations target drug trafficking and related criminal activity.

Project Director: D/Lt. Steven D. Rau

Implementing Agency: C.M.E.T. - City of Big Rapids

Recommended Award: \$257,513

3. City of Grand Rapids

The Metropolitan Enforcement Team (M.E.T.) is a multijurisdictional task force targeting mid to upper-level drug traffickers in Kent County. This continuing project emphasizes the cooperation of local, state and federal agencies to disrupt and dismantle trafficking organizations.

Project Director: D/F/Lt. Chris I. McIntire

Implementing Agency: M.E.T. - City of Grand Rapids

Recommended Award: \$336,000

4. City of Lansing

The Tri-County Metro Narcotics Squad is a continuation project and ongoing effort to dismantle mid and upper-level drug organizations in Ingham, Eaton and Clinton Counties. Vertical prosecution is used to maximize effective state and federal prosecution and forfeiture efforts.

Project Director: D/F/Lt. Timothy J. Gill

Implementing Agency: Tri County Metro - City of Lansing

Recommended Award: \$323,500

5. City of St. Louis

The Mid-Michigan Area Group Narcotics Enforcement Team (M.A.G.N.E.T.) is a multijurisdictional task force whose primary efforts are focused on the reduction of narcotics trafficking in Shiawassee and Gratiot counties. Team investigations are aimed at drug trafficking on all levels with an emphasis on the mid to upper-level traffickers.

Project Director: D/Lt. Gretchen Voltz

Implementing Agency: M.A.G.N.E.T. - City of St. Louis

Recommended Award: \$44,000

Multijurisdictional Task Forces

6. County of Alpena

The Huron Undercover Narcotics Team (H.U.N.T.) is a continuation project for a multijurisdictional narcotics task force providing services in Alcona, Alpena, Montmorency and Presque Isle Counties. The team conducts narcotics related investigations with the focal point on mid to upper-level narcotic traffickers, as well as street-level traffickers and associated criminal activity.

Project Director: D/Lt. Rick M. Schultz

Implementing Agency: H.U.N.T. - County of Alpena

Recommended Award: \$165,000

7. County of Emmet

S.A.N.E. (Straits Area Narcotics Enforcement) is a multi-jurisdictional task force working in Luce, Mackinac, Chippewa, Emmet, Cheboygan, Charlevoix, and Otsego Counties. The team identifies trends of illegal drug use and sales, identifies traffickers and trafficking organizations, and develops criminal cases.

Project Director: D/Lt. Ken C. Mills

Implementing Agency: S.A.N.E. - County of Emmett

Recommended Award: \$271,000

8. County of Lapeer

The Thumb Narcotics Unit (T.N.U.) is a continuation project for a multijurisdictional task force that covers a geographical area of four counties (Huron, Tuscola, Sanilac and Lapeer). The goal of T.N.U. is to identify low to mid-level drug traffickers in an effort to target and identify upper-level dealers to reduce illegal drugs and associated criminal activity.

Project Director: D/Lt. Mark J. Opra

Implementing Agency: T.N.U. - County of Lapeer

Recommended Award: \$121,000

9. County of Macomb

County of Macomb Enforcement Team (C.O.M.E.T.) is a multijurisdictional task force comprised of enforcement officers from federal, state, county and local agencies in Macomb County. C.O.M.E.T.'s narcotic, violent crime, surveillance and conspiracy crime teams conduct investigations independently and in support of other criminal justice agencies in an effort to reduce the availability of illegal drugs and reduce violent crimes.

Project Director: D/F/Lt. Robert Honey

Implementing Agency: C.O.M.E.T. - County of Macomb

Recommended Award: \$312,000

10. County of Missaukee

This is a continuation project funding the Traverse Narcotics Team, which is a multi-jurisdictional narcotics task force. The unit operates in the counties of Antrim, Benzie, Grand Traverse, Kalkaska, Leelanau, Missaukee, Osceola and Wexford. The unit consists of two teams of officers concentrating on undercover operations, surveillance and drug interdiction.

Project Director: D/F/Lt. Chester A. Wilson

Implementing Agency: T.N.T. - County of Missaukee

Recommended Award: \$285,500

Multijurisdictional Task Forces

11. County of Oakland

The Oakland County Narcotic Enforcement Team (N.E.T.) encourages cooperation between law enforcement departments within Southeast Michigan and other federal agencies in an effort to apprehend and convict those involved in the use, sale and distribution of illegal drugs and narcotics.

Project Director: Capt. Mark Newman
Implementing Agency: N.E.T. - County of Oakland
Recommended Award: \$352,000

12. Michigan Department of State Police

Office of Monroe Narcotics (O.M.N.I. #3) investigates narcotics-related complaints, focusing on mid to high-level drug dealers that effect Monroe, Lenawee and Hillsdale Counties. O.M.N.I. #3 participates in the prevention of drug abuse with family courts and local/intermediate school districts.

Project Director: D/Lt. David Cook
Implementing Agency: O.M.N.I. #3 - Michigan Department of State Police
Recommended Award: \$89,500

13. Michigan Department of State Police

Continuation funding for Jackson Narcotics Enforcement Team (J.N.E.T.), a multijurisdictional drug team with full-time narcotics enforcement focusing on mid to high-level drug dealers in Jackson County.

Project Director: D/F/Lt. Garth Burnside
Implementing Agency: J.N.E.T. - Michigan Department of State Police
Recommended Award: \$111,872

14. Michigan Department of State Police

Methamphetamine in Michigan is a specialized unit that provides training and assistance to investigative units when clandestine methamphetamine labs need to be dismantled. The unit is also responsible for maintaining accurate data for the statewide Methamphetamine in Michigan Committee.

Project Director: D/Lt. Anthony A. Saucedo
Implementing Agency: Methamphetamine in Michigan - Michigan Department of State Police
Recommended Award: \$155,643

15. Michigan Department of State Police

Western Wayne Narcotics (W.W.N.) is a continuation project for a multijurisdictional task force servicing 18 communities in Western Wayne County. The enforcement efforts of this team focus on interrupting the flow of narcotics and assets.

Project Director: D/F/Lt. Edward G. Gerds
Implementing Agency: W.W.N. - Michigan Department of State Police
Recommended Award: \$160,000

Multijurisdictional Task Forces

16. Michigan Department of State Police

This Strike Team Investigative Narcotics Group (S.T.I.N.G.) is a continuation project for a multijurisdictional task force. S.T.I.N.G. provides criminal investigative services for the counties of Crawford, Oscoda, Roscommon, Ogemaw, Iosco and Arenac. The team will continue to conduct undercover narcotics investigations and maintain partnerships with participating agencies.

Project Director: D/F/Lt. Jeffrey Keister

Implementing Agency: S.T.I.N.G. - Michigan Department of State Police

Recommended Award: \$228,459

17. Michigan Department of State Police

State, Sheriff and Chief's Enforcement of Narcotics Team (S.S.C.E.N.T.) covers the counties of Manistee, Lake, Oceana and Mason. This multijurisdictional task force team integrates state, county and local law enforcement resources with the intent to remove narcotics dealers and conspiracies in its area. It will also focus on eliminating drug availability, usage and the violence associated with narcotics trafficking.

Project Director: D/Lt. Matthew J. Kanitz

Implementing Agency: S.S.C.E.N.T. - Michigan Department of State Police

Recommended Award: \$230,500

18. Michigan Department of State Police

The Downriver Area Narcotics Organization (D.R.A.N.O.) is a multijurisdictional task force that targets narcotics violators in the downriver area. D.R.A.N.O. works with state, local and federal law enforcement agencies to identify drug trafficking organizations and use the necessary resources and personnel to disrupt and dismantal these groups.

Project Director: D/F/Lt. Darwin Scott

Implementing Agency: D.R.A.N.O. - Michigan Department of State Police

Recommended Award: \$233,895

19. Michigan Department of State Police

Livingston and Washtenaw Narcotics Enforcement Team (L.A.W.N.E.T.) is a multijurisdictional drug enforcement concept with full-time narcotics enforcement, as well as violent crime investigative responsibilities for Livingston and Washtenaw Counties.

Project Director: D/F/Lt. Garth Burnside

Implementing Agency: L.A.W.N.E.T. - Michigan Department of State Police

Recommended Award: \$237,128

20. Michigan Department of State Police

Continuation funding for Bay Area Narcotics Enforcement Team (B.A.Y.A.N.E.T.), which covers the countis of Bay, Clare, Gladwin, Isabella, Midland and Saginaw. The multijurisdictional team approach continues to be the most efficient method of combating the ever mobile criminal element. This task force will concentrate on violent and mid to upper-level narcotics traffickers.

Project Director: D/Lt. Mel Mathews

Implementing Agency: B.A.Y.A.N.E.T. - Michigan Department of State Police

Recommended Award: \$285,000

Multijurisdictional Task Forces

21. Michigan Department of State Police

The Southwest Enforcement Team (S.W.E.T.) is a co-located multi-agency cooperative effort designed to address narcotic-related issues in a seven county area (Kalamazoo, Calhoun, Barry, Cass, St. Joseph, Van Buren and Branch Counties). The team is comprised of police, prosecutors and management staff to target mid and upper-level dealers in cooperation with substance abuse, school and general public input.

Project Director: D/F/Lt. Wayne Edington

Implementing Agency: S.W.E.T. - Michigan Department of State Police

Recommended Award: \$288,594

22. Michigan Department of State Police

The Upper Peninsula Substance Enforcement Team (U.P.S.E.T.) targets drug traffickers in an attempt to expose their chain of command to determine the ultimate source of illicit drugs. U.P.S.E.T utilizes undercover operations, surveillance, informants and intelligence information from various agencies.

Project Director: D/F/Lt. Jeffrey C. Racine

Implementing Agency: U.P.S.E.T. - Michigan Department of State Police

Recommended Award: \$393,000

23. Michigan Department of State Police

Funding supports 11 Forensic Scientists to provide lab analysis for controlled substance violations throughout the entire state. Seven forensic science labs provide services for all law enforcement agencies, including Michigan's 21 multijurisdictional drug teams.

Project Director: Ms. Abby L. Meyer, Grant Manager

Implementing Agency: Forensic Science Division - Michigan Department of State Police

Recommended Award: \$450,000

24. West Michigan Enforcement Team

West Michigan Enforcement Team (W.E.M.E.T.) is a continuing project in Allegan, Muskegon and Ottawa Counties. The task force brings together state, local and federal officers to address narcotic, gang, property and violent crime.

Project Director: D/F/Lt. John E. Porter

Implementing Agency: W.E.M.E.T. - West Michigan Enforcement Team

Recommended Award: \$324,750